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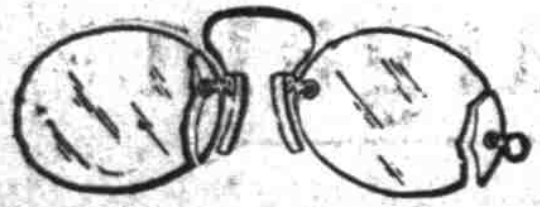
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## SOCIETY

### Army Relief Bridge Party Tomorrow

The ladies of the artillery branch of the Army Relief Society will hold their second bridge party for the benefit of the society tomorrow afternoon on the Young hotel roof garden. That the affair will be as much of a success as the one held last week is, of course, an almost assured fact, but of course it is important that every one retain their original interest and enthusiasm, keeping in mind not only the pleasure of the affair but the good cause for which the money is needed. Society folk are taking the attitude that it is not only their pleasure but their duty to lend a shoulder to the cause of the army relief in return, if for no other reason, for the cheerful assistance which army people have always given to our own charities and benefits. The bridge party tomorrow will be on the same plan as the last one. Tickets will be sold at the Young hotel, Pleasanton, Moana, Benson Smith's and by any of the artillery ladies. Play will begin at 2:30, after an informal reception. In the receiving line will be Mrs. C. P. T. Moore, Mrs. Archibald Campbell, Mrs. A. S. Conklin, Mrs. F. W. Phisterer, and Mrs. F. D. Applin. These ladies will also preside at the tea tables later in the afternoon. During the tea hour Mrs. E. T. Reynolds will sing and Mrs. A. B. Ingalls will play several numbers on the violin. The introduction of music is really one of the most delightful features of the afternoon.

The Army Relief Society for which the bridge parties are being held, is an organization to provide for the widows and orphans of officers and enlisted men of the army. The artillery branch on Oahu is called section 14. The officers of this section are Mrs. E. J. Timberlake, president; Mrs. F. W. Phisterer, secretary, and Mrs. H. M. Nichols, treasurer.

Society folk interested in Thes Dansants who are forming such an alluring part of our afternoon affairs will enjoy hearing of the dansants at the Palace hotel in San Francisco. Miss Marion White, who visited in Honolulu for several months last summer, is at the head of the Palace dansants and has won far more popularity than even the Cranes and Matrices, so widely renowned for their Tergisheorean talents. On this subject, the San Francisco News-Letter has the following to say:

"The dansants at the Palace hotel have lent a bouquet to the dancing life of the city, for which we should all be grateful. Without bending, much less breaking, the high standard of exclusiveness which must obtain in order to keep these affairs from sagging into the commonplace, the Palace dansants are nevertheless managed in such a way that the taint of snobbery is absolutely lacking. It takes great finesse to accomplish this result, and it is impossible to give a blue print plan of just how it is done, but on the other hand it is equally impossible to attend one of these affairs at the Palace without realizing that there is just the right atmosphere—there which means that the invitation list has been properly expensed. There is a great difference between experting, and the patronesses of these dansants have evidently the combination of knowledge which one so rarely finds in semi-public affairs of this sort. For example, there have been other dansants where the committee in charge has offended people of the very best social position just because they did not happen to know of their claims to this estate. When the dansants at the Palace were started, there were those who predicted that the idea was being spread so thick over the season that people would soon tire of having all their days and nights set to dance music. But the manner and method of the Palace dansants has extended the popularity of these affairs, and undoubtedly prolonged their life.

Events that are attracting considerable interest among the society folk of town are the travelogues which Miss Lila Van Kirk will give after the Carnival. There will be four of these given in private homes and will be more of the nature of social events than of educational lectures. Each travelogue will be accompanied by about a hundred and thirty stereoscopic views beautifully colored by Miss Van Kirk herself. Among the topics on which she will speak are "Two Weeks in Rome," "A Walk Through the Streets of Florence, Southern Italy, and Venice," by Moonlight, "In and About Paris." Miss Van Kirk is at the Moana. She has only recently come from San Francisco, where she gave a series of lectures at the St. Francis before three hundred or more of the Peninsula smart set. That her clever little resumes of travel—filled as they are with the atmosphere and bit of the old world—were popular with her audiences was fully evinced by their great enthusiasm, echoes of which filtered down to Hawaii even before the lecturer herself arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Magoon entertained at dinner last week in honor of Lieut. Orville N. Tyler, who celebrated his birthday on that day. The table was prettily decorated with hibiscus in shades of pink and coral. After dinner the evening was devoted to dancing. Among those present were Lieut. and Mrs. O. N. Tyler, Capt. and Mrs. Frank E. Hopkins, Mr. H. F. Weller, Miss Gertrude Hopkins, Mrs. Richard Kipling, Mr. Alfred Magoon and the host and hostess.

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Mr. W. G. McPherson of Portland was an outgoing passenger on the Matsushita this morning after a few weeks in Hawaii. Previous to his departure he was the motif for considerable entertaining. One of the most delightful affairs being a pot supper given for him last evening by Mrs. Hannah E. Palmer at the Courtland.  
Miss Ethel Bishop returned to Honolulu on Sunday after several delightful weeks spent on Kauai and is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Faxon Bishop on Nuuanu street. Her mother, Mrs. E. Bishop, however, was persuaded to remain longer on the Garden Isle and will not return until just before the Carnival.  
The informal dance tomorrow night at the Moana promises to be quite a social event in spite of the counter attraction at the Country Club. A number of parties have already been made up to attend.  
The rumor is that the engagement of a prominent young couple which has been off and on and off and on for the past few years, is now definitely on and will be announced very shortly.  
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### CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU

**Mondays**—Punahou, Makiki.  
**Tuesdays**—Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo, First Tuesday—Fort Ruger.  
**Wednesdays**—Nuuanu, Puunui, Pacific Heights. First and third Wednesday, a boy's Nuuanu bridge; second and fourth Wednesday, below bridge; fourth Wednesday, Pacific Heights; first and third Wednesdays, Alewa Heights.  
**Thursdays**—The Plains  
**Fridays**—Hotels and town, fourth Friday, Fort Shafter, first Friday.  
Manoa, College Hills, first and third Friday.  
**Saturdays**—Kalihi, third and fourth Saturdays, Kamehameha Schools, last Saturday.  
**Fort Shafter**—Calling day every Friday.

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### COLLEGE CLUB HEAR D. L. WITHERINGTON

The fourth and final lecture in the course on Community Housekeeping held under the auspices of the College Club was given at the Kilohana building Tuesday afternoon by David L. Witherington. Many members of the College Club with their friends attended and enjoyed the clear and practical presentation of the "Rights of Women" under the laws of Hawaii. At the close of the lecture many questions were asked by the interested listeners.

### DEATHS

DESMOND—In Concord, N. H., Mary Desmond, wife of W. Desmond, quartermaster corps, January 26, 1914.

## MUSICAL COMEDY ARTISTS STARTED THEATRICALS AT CHURCH SOCIALS



De Von Sisters, appearing with the Spaulding Musical Comedy Company at the Bijou theater.

Hattie and Marguerite De Von, the song and dance specialists with the Spaulding Musical Comedy Company, got their start in Birmingham, Ala., appearing at church socials. The mother of the De Von girls was a church worker and instrumental in arranging entertainments to raise money for missionary and other religious work. It was at one of these entertainments that a theatrical manager saw Hattie and Marguerite perform and immediately asked their mother to permit them to go on the stage. The girls were 14 and 15 years of age and Mrs. De Von was horrified at the thought of them entering a professional career but after being prevailed upon by both the girls and the theatrical manager the mother consented and went with the girls as their chaperone.  
They branched out in different directions after a year of team work. Hattie taking character parts in a dramatic company and Marguerite appearing as a soubrette in the "Time, Place and the Girl" the "Girl Question" and numerous other successful musical comedies.  
"We played in different companies," said Marguerite yesterday afternoon, "as long as we could stand it, then we began to figure that life was short at its best and as long as there were only mother, Hattie and me that we had better get together again and try to be together all the time. So we framed up a little vaudeville sketch and went to New York with it where we played for six months, then came west to San Francisco. Mr. Spaulding saw us performing there and asked us if we would like to come over here. We thought the trip would be great, so here we are."  
The De Von girls will be seen in some catchy numbers in the new play, "The Politician," to be given at the Bijou Thursday, Friday, Saturday matinee and Saturday evening.

## FORTUNE-TELLING AND PALMISTRY UNALLIED INDUSTRIES, SAYS BROWN

Hence Madame Zarra Passino Will Be Allowed to Work without Police Interference

Madame Zarra Passino, who is a palmist and not a new drink, will not be disturbed by the police for conducting a business of palm reading, neither will she be required to get a license. Sheriff Jarrett made this statement this morning. Following Madame Passino's appearance at the police station Saturday, when she gave a test reading of the hand of A. M. Brown, deputy city and county attorney, the question has been raised of whether or not she is violating the subversive statute—in other words, if palmistry comes within the purview of that law.  
Mr. Brown stated this morning that it does not. Fortune-telling does, he said, but there is a distinction made between fortune-telling and palm reading. And it is this distinction which has so far saved the woman from interference by the police.  
City and County Treasurer McCarthy said that Fred Milverton, former deputy city and county attorney, gave an opinion in a similar case, holding that a business license is not required.

### STEWART CLINGS TO CHILD OF DEAD WIFE

Charles A. Stewart, whose wife was slain at Honolulu two weeks ago by a man said to have been her former husband, and who afterward killed himself, arrived here yesterday on the Pacific Mailer Manchuria, says the S. F. Chronicle. He brought with him "Bubbles" Phypers, the little 3-year-old child of his wife, to whom he had been married but a week when she met such a tragic fate. Stewart, who is connected with a local business firm, declares that he will take care of the little orphan.  
The tragedy caused a sensation at Honolulu. Mrs. Stewart, while her husband was away on the Island of Hawaii, was shot by a man who had registered at the hotel as A. W. Woodward, but whose true name is said to be A. W. Wagner. The murderer's name is said to have followed Mrs. Stewart and her husband from this city for the purpose of committing the ghastly deed.

### DEERR DIVORCE CASE ECHOED FROM LONDON

Wife of Honolulu Chemist, Through Solicitors, Denies Charges  
Declaring that Noel Deerr, chemist at the experiment station of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association is an Englishman and that therefore the courts of Hawaii have no jurisdiction to grant him a divorce, the London solicitors for Mrs. Rhoda Deerr, the wife, have sent a batch of correspondence to Circuit Judge Whitney. The correspondence includes epistles of condemnation and reprimand between the husband and wife and exchanges between the solicitors and Holmes, Stanley & Olson, counsel for the husband.  
Some time after Mrs. Deerr's departure last year for England, where she is now living, her mother, Mrs. Rhoda Deerr, filed a petition for a divorce, alleging a statutory offense and naming Duke Kahanamoku, the champion Hawaiian swimmer, as respondent. In the correspondence now in Judge Whitney's hands, Deerr disavows parentage of the child, while the mother insists as hotly as ever her innocence and asserts Deerr is the father.  
Despite their denial of the local court's jurisdiction to act, however, the solicitors ask that the husband be required to pay the expense of her return to Honolulu, that she may contest the suit.  
It is now understood that the local legal firm of Thompson, Wilder, Watson & Lymer represents the wife, and that they will appear before Judge Whitney Friday afternoon to ask for a continuance of the hearing, also for attorney's fees and temporary alimony.

### EXPLORER'S JOURNAL IN BRITISH MUSEUM

[By Latest Mail]  
LONDON, Eng.—The original journals of Sir Robert Scott during his south polar expedition have been placed in the British Museum by Lady Scott. By order of the trustees they were placed on view on the second anniversary of Scott's arrival at the south pole. They are to remain on view for an indefinite period.  
The journals are three small, pencil-written books, which Scott carried with him to the pole, and which were found on his body by the searching party in November, 1912.  
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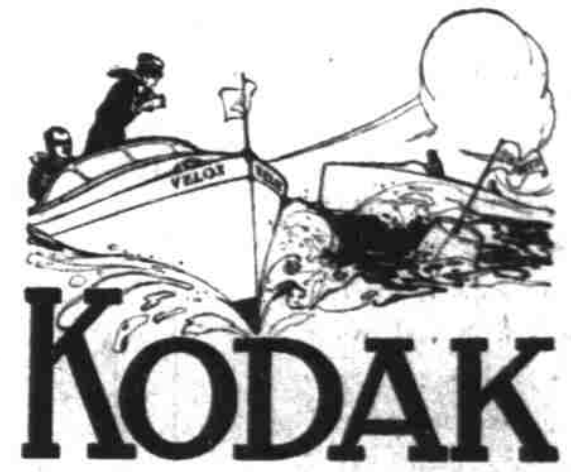
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